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FOLLOWING FOR THE DEPARTMENT'S INFORMATION IS THE FULL
TEXT OF THE PRESS RELEASE (REFERRED TO IN PARA 4 REFTEL) USSUED
BY SPERRY-RAND:

1. BEGIN TEXT: WITH REFERENCE TO INFORMATION RELEASED IN
THE SWEDISH RADIO, TELEVISION AND PRESS, SPERRY RAND AB
FINDS IT NECESSARY ON BEHALF OF SPERRY UNIVAC/SPERRY RAND
CORPORATION TO ISSUE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:
1) NO PERSON IN SPERRY UNIVAC OR SPERRY RAND CORPORATION HAS
EVER TRIED TO INTERFERE AGAINST STANSAAB AB IN WASHINGTON D.C.
2) NO AGREEMENT EXISTS BETWEEN SPERRY UNIVAC AND STANSAAB
FOR DELIVERY OF COMPONENTS. SPERRY UNIVAC DOES NOT MANUFACTURE
THESE COMPONENTS.
3) TO THE CONTRARY TO WHAT HAS BEEN SAID IN THE SWEDISH PRESS,
TELEVISION AND RADIO SPERRY UNIVAC/SPERRY RAND CORPORATION HAS
INOFFICIALLY APPROACHED STANSAAB AND DECLARED
THEMSELVES WILLING TO HELP IF STANSAAB SO WANTED. THE
FIRST APPROACH WAS MADE MORE THAN 18 MONTHS AGO AND THE
LAST IN 1977.

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4) SPERRY UNIVAC/SPERRY RAND IS NOT A MEMBER OF ANY
GOVERNMENTAL COMMITTEE IN WASHINGTON D.C.
DEALING WITH THESE MATTERS.
5) SPERRY UNIVAC AND SPERRY RAND IS ALSO TRADING IN
RUSSIA AND THE EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES AND HAS
AS BUSINESS PRACTICE NEVER TO ACCEPT OR OFFICIALLY
REGISTER AN ORDER BEFORE LICENSES HAVE BEEN

OBTAINED FROM WASHINGTON D.C. THE LICENSE PROCESS
AT TIMES TAKES UP TO ONE AND ONE-HALF TO TWO YEARS.
IT IS NOT ONLY THE COMPONENTS THEMSELVES, BUT ALSO THE
USE OF THE COMPONENTS IN THE TOTAL COMPLEX, WHICH IS
A DECISIVE FACTOR. END TEXT.

2. PRESS RELEASE IS DATED AUGUST 4, 1977.
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